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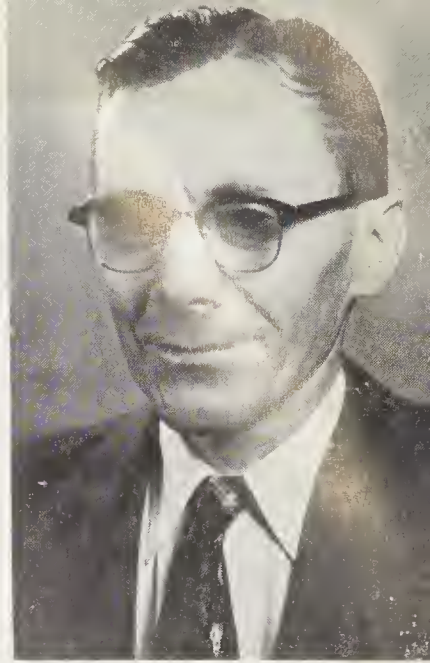


The Senior Class of nineteen hundred and fifty-three wishes to dedicate this year's HI-LIGHTS to EVERYONE who has so graciously helped us in every way; some helping in the classroom, and others helping outside the class to make these years happy and memorable ones.



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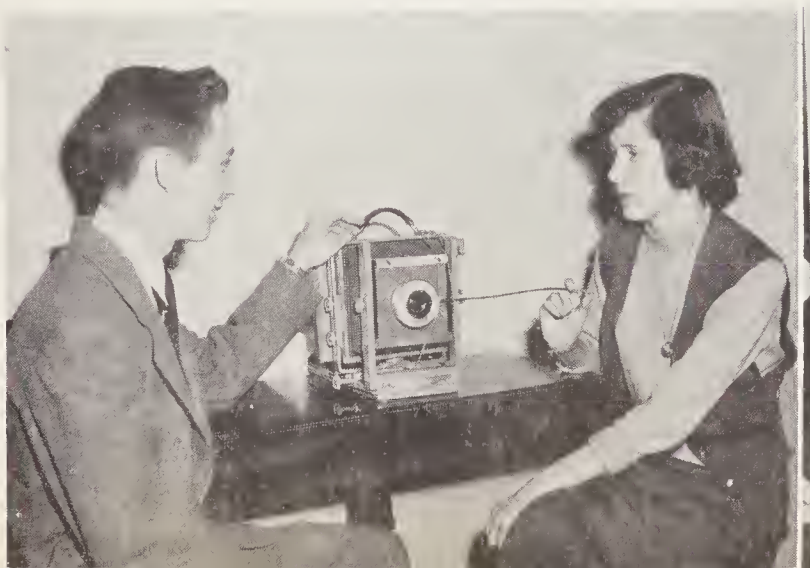
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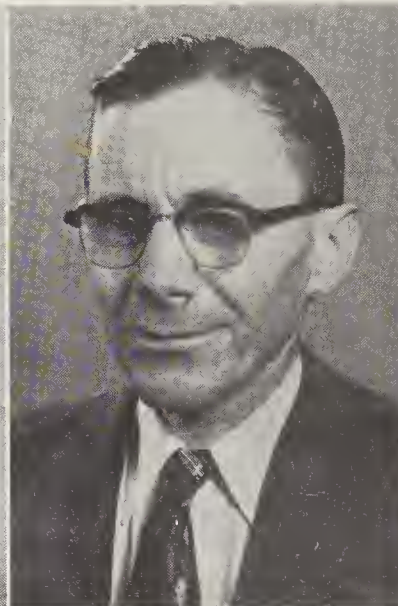
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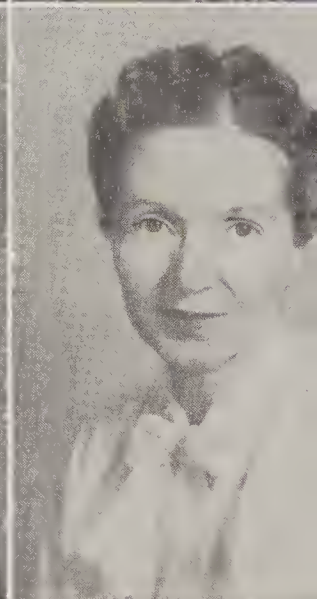
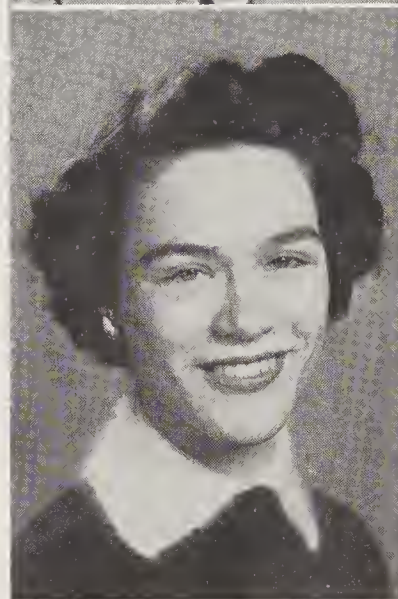
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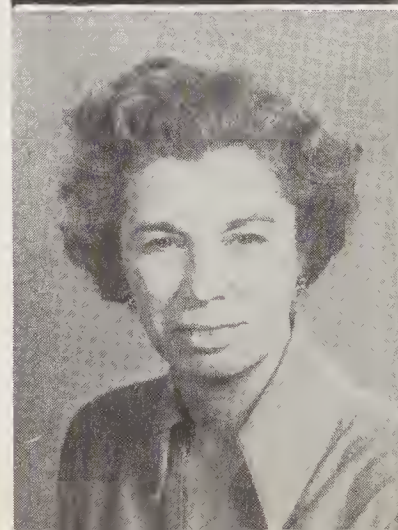
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*"All for one and one for
all."*

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CLASS POEM

Our journey of life is just beginning,
All of the victories are ours for the winning.
We must look up, and ever be bold;
For we know not what the future may hold.

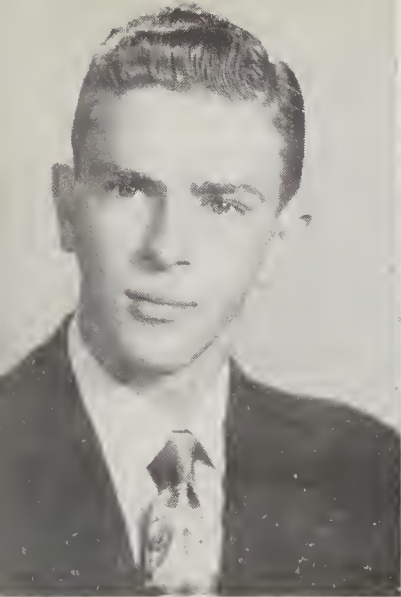
We have deep rivers that we must cross;
And ever winning team must suffer loss;
But may we be happy in our journey of tomorrow;
And never know the real meaning of sorrow.

Twelve years we have stood together, as a class;
You'd scarcely think time so quickly could pass.
But this is the night of "Our Graduation";
The formal end of our high school education.

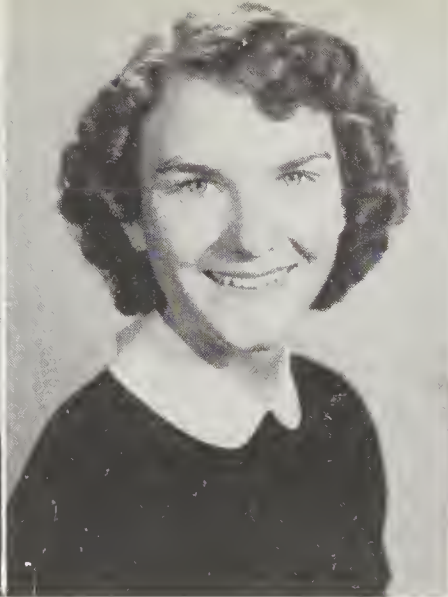
Our parents and teachers have guided us through;
But we'll travel a way they never knew.
We haven't learned all they tried to teach,
But let's attain all the goals they set for us to reach.

Class Poetess,
Bobbie Barker





BAXTER MILTON
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"Jimmy"



BARBARA JEAN BARKER
"Bobbie"



NORMA GERTRUDE
BENNETT
"Norma"

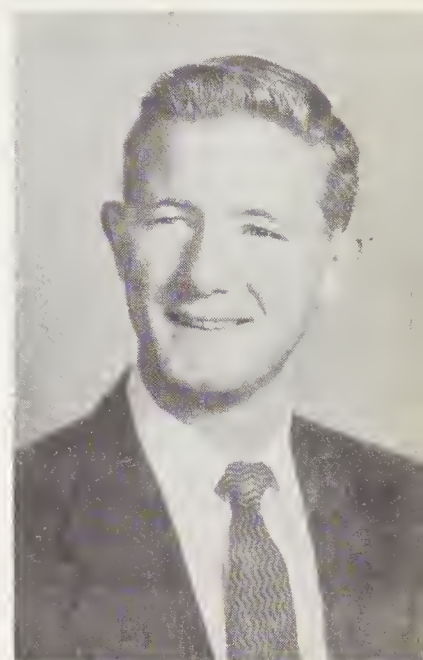


GUY SAMUEL BOYD
"Sam"



FRANCES LYNETTE
BROWN
"Baby"

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CURTIS RAY CAUDLE
"Caudeley"

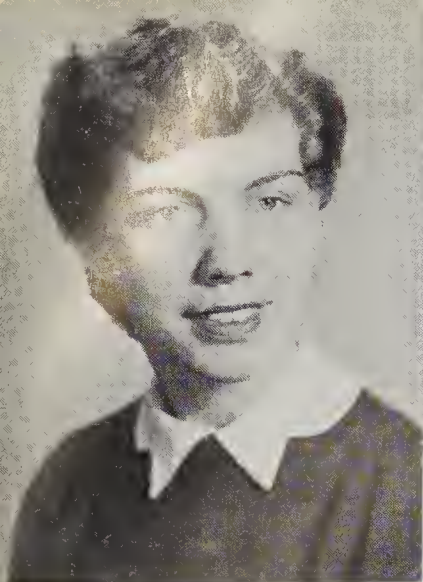
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COCKMAN
"Moon"

ETHEL RUTH COLTRANE
"Ethel"

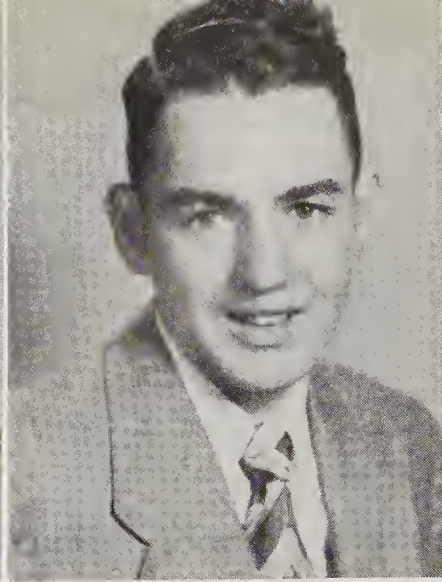
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"Bootsie"

PEGGY ANN CRYMES
"Peggy"





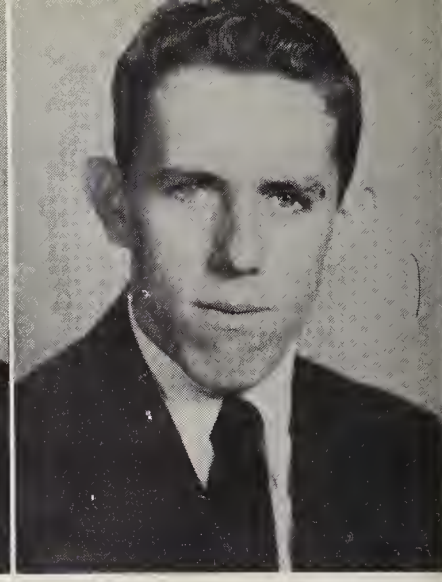
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FARLOW
"Violet"



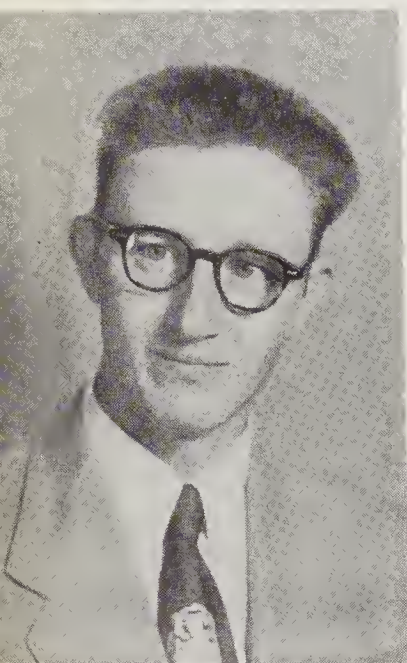
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"Ben"



DORIS MARIE FIELDS
"Doris"



RODDY HARPER FIELDS
"Rod"



GLENN HOLMAN FLYNN
"Homer"

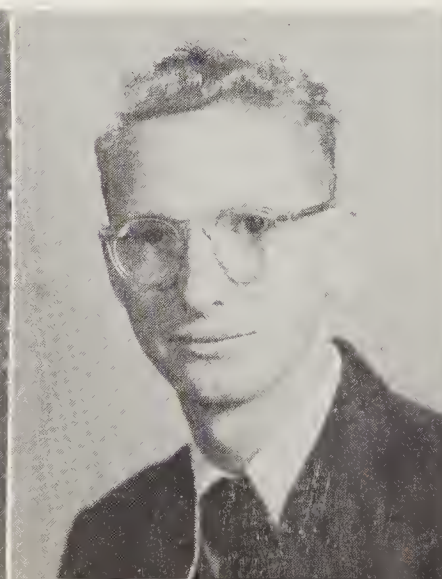
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"Pat"



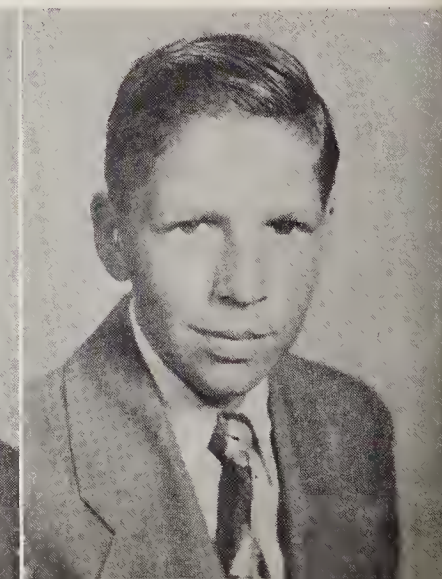
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"Louise"



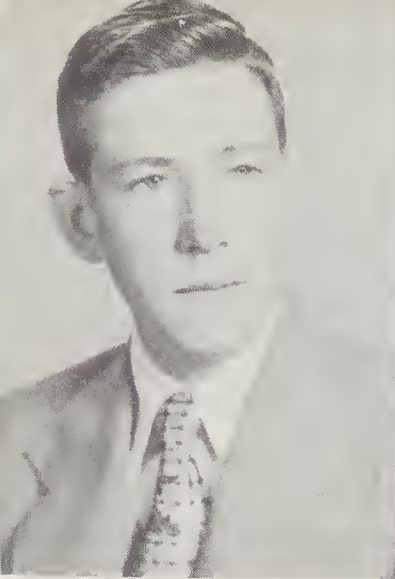
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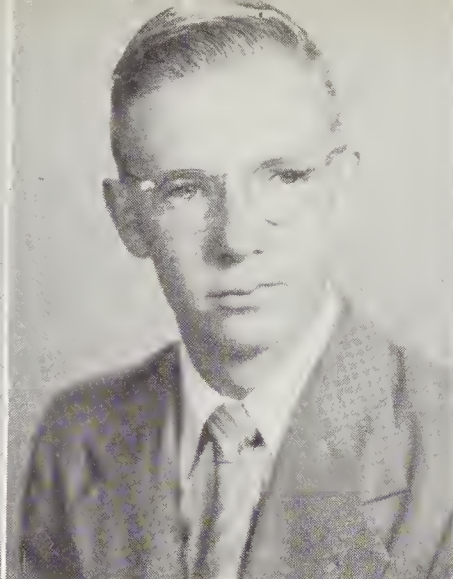
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GARNER, JR.
"Jim"



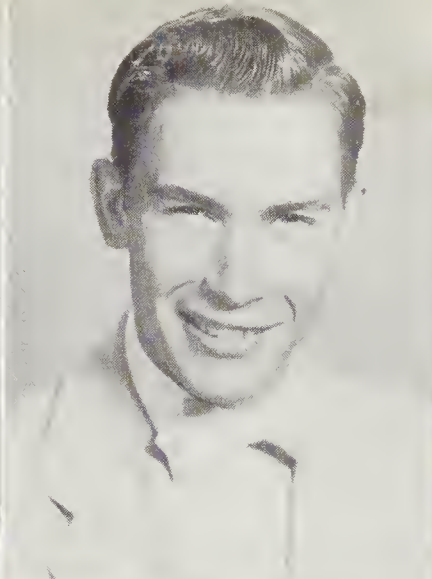
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"Bill"



BOBBY JOE HACKETT
"Bobby Joe"



KYLE HOWARD HARRIS
"Hoyle"



BILL LEE KIRKMAN
"Bill"

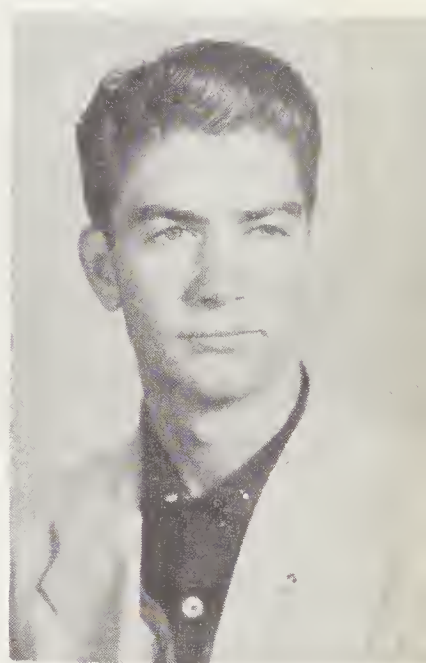


MYRTLE JO ANNE
KIRKMAN
"Jo Anne"



NORMA JEAN MANESS
"Jean"

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MARION
"Frank"

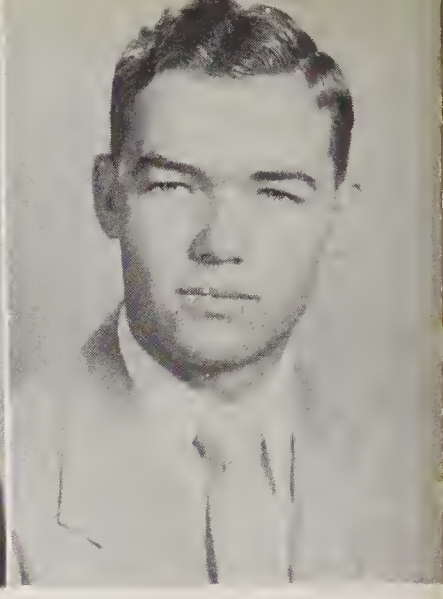
RUTH ANN MARLEY
"Marley"

RAY SAUNDERS
MONNETT
"Sandy"

RAY IDOL MOWERY
"Ray"

MARY CATHERINE
NEECE
"Kittie"





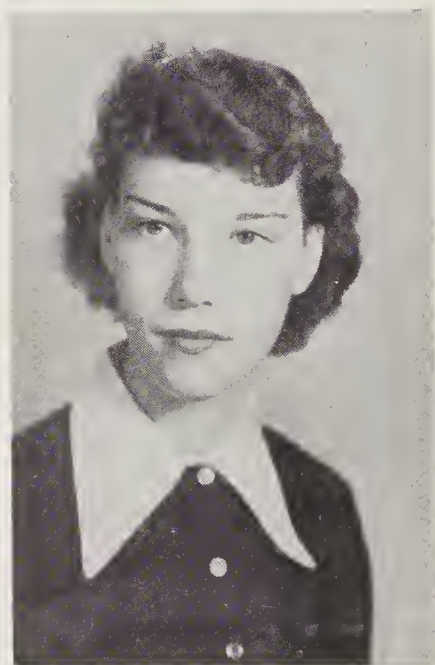
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"Nez"

MELVIN BANDY PROPST
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SAMUEL
"Bobbie"

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"Randy"

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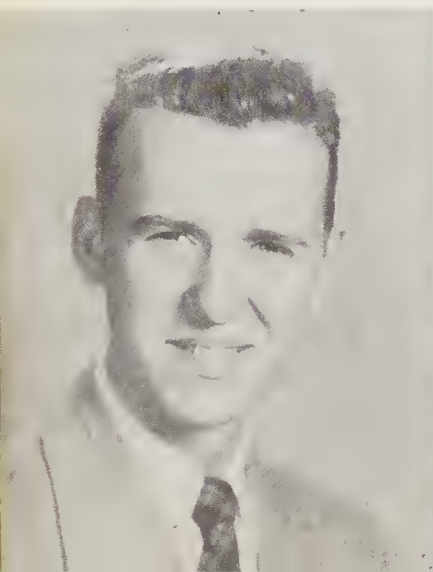
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TILLEY, II
"J. D."

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"Lonie"

TRESSIE JACQUELINE
VOSS
"Jackie"

ROBERT JULIAN
WEATHERLY
"Bob"



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MOONYEEN GRIER COCKMAN

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VIOLET MINERVA FARLOW

Glee Club 1, 2; F.H.A. 1, 2; G.A.A. 1, 2; Home Ec. 1, 2, 4.

BEN RANKIN FIELDS

F.F.A. 1, 2, 3; Class Play 3, 4; Bus Driver 3, 4; 4-H Club 1, 2.

DORIS MARIE FIELDS

Glee Club 1, 2; F.H.A. 1, 2, Secretary 2; Library Club 3, 4; Spotlight Staff 4; G.A.A. 1, 2.

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Basketball 1, 2, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; D. E. Club 3, 4, Sec. 4; Typing 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, 4; Most Intellectual 4; Home Ec. 1, 2; Music Convention 2, 3, 4.

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BOBBY JOE HACKETT

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BILL LEE KIRKMAN

F.F.A. 1, 2, 3; D. E. Club 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4.

MYRTLE JOANNE KIRKMAN

Spotlight Staff 4; Most Dependable 4; Beta Club 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2; Class Secretary 4; Library Club 1, 2; Class Reporter 4; Marshal 2, 3; Girl Scouts 1, 2, 3; Hi-C. Club 3.

NORMA JEAN MANESS

Glee Club 1; Beta Club 3, 4; French Club 3, 4, Treasurer 4; F.H.A. Club 1, 2; G.A.A. 1, 2.

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F. F. A. 1, 2; 4-H Club 1, 2; Sub. Bus Driver 3; Bus Driver 4; Athletic Association 1, 2.

RUTH ANN MARLEY

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F.F.A. 1; D. E. Club 2, 3; Spotlight Staff 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1; Most Popular 4; Sub. Bus Driver 3, 4; 4-H Club 1; Athletic Association 1, 2, 3, 4.

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PEARL INEZ OSBORNE

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Girl Scouts 1, 2, 3; Library Club 1, 2; F.H.A. Club 1, 2; Beta Club 3, 4, Treasurer 4; Marshal 1, 3; School Operetta 1; Spotlight Staff 4.

MELVIN BANDY PROPST

D. E. Club 4; Wittiest 4.

BARBARA JOSEPHINE SAMUEL

Class Treasurer 2; Library Club 4; Glee Club 1; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3; Cheer Leader 2, 3; Cutest 4; Spotlight Staff 4; Class Play 2, 3; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3.

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Nathaniel Green (F.F.A. 1, 2, 3; Class President 2; Class Vice-President 3; Basketball 2, 3; Baseball 2; Bus Driver 3; Junior Play 3;) Pleasant Garden (D. E. Club 4; Cutest 4.).

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LONIE LEE VARNER

F.H.A. 1, 2, 3; G.A.A. 1, 2; Hi-C. Club 3.

TRESSIE JACQUELINE VOSS

F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, President 1; Historian 2; Glee Club 1; Librarian 1; Class President 1; Class Secretary 3; Library Club 2, 3, 4, Secretary 3, Vice-President 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1; Cheerleader 2, 3, 4, Chief 4; Softball 3, 4; Class Play 2, 3; Harvest Queen 3; Spotlight Staff 4; Hi-Lights Staff 4; High School Play 1; Most Popular 4.

ROBERT JULIAN WEATHERLY

F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; D. E. Club 4; F.F.A. Secretary 3, President 4; Sub. Bus Driver 2; Bus Driver 3, 4; 4-H Club 1, 2; Class Play 2, 3; Best Personality 4.

CLASS HISTORY

DEAR SENIORS OF '53—

The big night is here at last—the one we've been working and waiting for for so many years. We've finally reached our goal, and tomorrow we take a new road to new places, new ideals, and new dreams.

How well I remember one September day four years ago, when, just as now, we were starting out on a new road—the High School Road that ends here. There were fifty-four of us then; a large, noisy class. In fact, so large and noisy that we required two members of the faculty to guide us.

As we became accustomed to our surroundings, we began doing all the things that Freshmen do. Without wasting time, we chose Jackie Voss, Lester Davis, and Bootsie Corsbie as class officers.

That was a busy year. Being an athletic-minded class, we gave a stunt show, and, although we were strictly amateur, it was a great success. The class placed members on the basketball and baseball teams, and in later years, the football team.

But we were never too busy to take time out for a party. I'm sure none of you could forget the Christmas party which our class sponsors, Mrs. Lambeth and Mrs. Wagoner, gave us.

Thus we passed the first mile and embarked upon our Sophomore year. Mr. Coble, as homeroom teacher, directed our journey, assisted by the class officers, Jim Garner, Ray Caudle, Bobbie Barker, and Barbara Samuel.

Looking into the future, we saw the Junior-Senior Banquet looming up on the horizon and decided that something should be done in preparation for it. A play was decided upon and a wise decision it was! With Mrs. Lambeth directing, we presented DEACON DUBBS and proved what we had known all along—that anything we undertook would be a success.

But before the banquet, a Senior-Sophomore party must be given. And no sooner said than done. Guilford Dairy Clubhouse was the scene of that gala little gathering which truly topped off our Sophomore year.

Juniors! and our goal in view. My how proud we were as once more we took up our staff in the fall of '51 and continued our journey. Mr. Coble was again our sponsor and the class officers were Ray Caudle, Roddy Fields, Jackie Voss, and Ruth Ann Marley.

Our first task was to order our class rings, and soon after taking care of this detail, we made Jackie Voss Queen of the Harvest Festival with Ray Caudle as the reigning King.

Our next project was a hayride for the whole high school. Though Mother Nature didn't cooperate, there weren't too many cold toes.

Although the hayride was planned with profit in mind, our grade mothers, who have served as such for many years, gave a splendid New Year's Eve party with nothing but pleasure planned. As the New Year, 1952, rolled in, we let it be known that we were still around.

To start the year off right, we had a magazine subscription campaign. Due to the marvelous salesmanship of Holman Flynn, this venture, too, was a success. Through it we obtained the remaining funds needed for the banquet.

The time had come. At last we were Juniors honoring the Seniors at that age-old custom of a banquet. What fun it was to plan and decorate and work! But of course the real fun came May second, at Starmount Forest Country Club. We could relax; the work was done; it would either be a success or a failure. Having a slight predilection towards our class, I would say that once again we came through in fine style.

And of course we gave a Junior play. After our success with DEACON DUBBS, we were anxious to try our hand again at theatrics. This time we chose the play, NO BOYS ALLOWED, and, as before, Mrs. Lambeth directed. If the laughter and applause were any indication, this play was only slightly less superb than DEACON DUBBS.

As the perfect end of a busy year, we made the annual daisy chain for the Seniors and sang the sad farewell songs, although our hearts were jumping with joy. Farewell, dear Seniors, we're happy to take your place.

Ah yes, at last we were Seniors! Only one more tiresome, dusty, happy mile. We had lost some classmates and gained others along the way, but now there were only thirty-nine of us. Mr. Dawson became our guardian angel for this last year. Ray Caudle and Roddy held their positions as president and vice-president, respectively, of the class, but Jo Anne Kirkman became the new secretary, and Moonyeen Cockman, treasurer.

But there was no time to dwell on the fact that we were Seniors. We were all too busy making those final arrangements for graduation. There were invitations and cards to order, the superlatives to pick, caps and gowns to choose, speakers for graduation to select, and endless other duties that demanded attention.

The annual must be prepared, and Jim Garner was selected to do the job with Moonyeen Cockman to assist him.

The Seniors were also in charge of the *Spotlight*, and yours truly, with the aid of Jackie Voss, headed the staff.

Not to be outdone by our last year's efforts, we again made two of our classmates the reigning royalty at the Harvest Festival. Moonyeen Cockman and J. D. Tilley wore the crowns this time.

The high school faculty bestowed on James Garner the honor of receiving the Civitan Award. How proud we were of Jim!

To perk up our deflated financial standing, we sold stationery and little gold class pins.

Somehow we found time to give our Senior play, PETER BEWARE. Mr. Dawson was the director this time, and, true to form, we succeeded in making a hit.

The class divided into groups and gave some really wonderful parties. But of course the party of the year was the Senior-Sophomore party. My, what fun we did have!

Then came the banquet. The Juniors chose Sedgfield Inn as the place and May first as the time. It was wonderful to be the honored ones and the Juniors really outdid themselves.

All too soon the journey has ended. We are at the end of the High School Road. Before us is the Road of the Future. The High School Road is history now—history that will remain forever in your memories.

Your classmate,

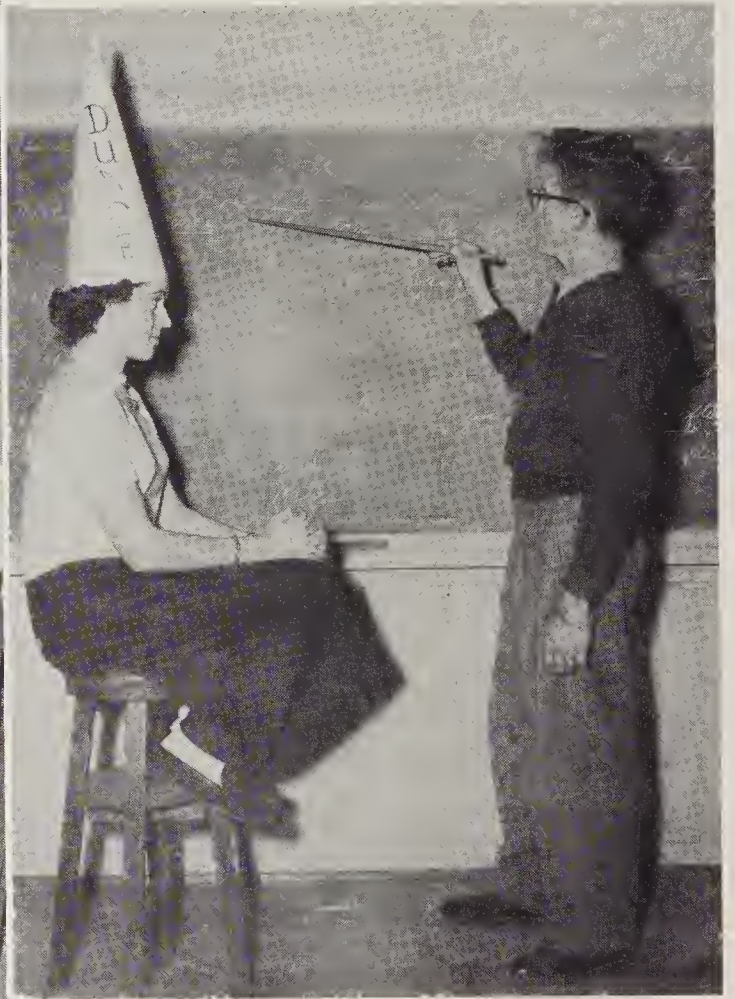
CATHERINE NEECE, *Chief Historian*

J. D. TILLEY, INEZ OSBORNE, *Assistant Historians*

SENIOR SUPERLATIVES

Best All Around

James Garner—
Moonyeen Cockman



Most Intellectual

Roddy Fields—Catherine Neece

Most Likely to Succeed

Ruth Ann Marley—Ray Mowery



SENIOR SUPERLATIVES

Best Personality

Bootsie Corsbie—Bobby Weatherly



Friendliest

Peggy Crymes—Bob Gamble



Most Musical

James D. Tilley—Patsy Fogleman

SENIOR SUPERLATIVES



Best Sports
Barbara Barker—Bill Kirkman



Most Popular
Jackie Voss—Sandy Monnett



Most Athletic
Ray Caudle—Louise Frye

SENIOR SUPERLATIVES

Wittiest
Melvin Propst—Ethel Coltrane



Cutest
Randall Simpson—Barbara Samuel

Most Dependable
Jo Anne Kirkman—Holman Flynn





LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

We, the Senior Class of Nineteen Hundred and Fifty-three, of Pleasant Garden High School, in the County of Guilford, the State of North Carolina, being sound in mind and strong in body, and having come to the end of our great high school career, do hereby declare and make this our last will and testament.

ARTICLE I

To Mr. Ayers and the Faculty, we leave the many gray hairs we have caused them to have and our deepest gratitude for their unending efforts to improve our minds.

ARTICLE II

To the buildings and busses, we leave the scars of our use and hope they may endure many more years of service.

ARTICLE III

To the Junior Class we leave the responsibility of being Seniors in the year '53-'54.

To the Sophomores and Freshmen, we leave our hopes that they might have as happy and prosperous high school days as we have had.

ARTICLE IV

Individual bequests: Throughout our schooldays, we have accumulated many articles, items, etc., which we feel it would be ungrateful to take with us; therefore, we are bestowing them upon certain members of the underclassmen for their care and use. They are as follows:

Roddy Fields leaves his superiority in agriculture to Wayne Reynolds, who he knows will make great strides. Peggy Smith wills her ability to cooperate to Jeanette Fields, knowing that she will keep the good work up. Melvin Propst leaves his unusual ability to take two years of American history under Mr. Ayers to Frankie Plunkett, hoping that he can learn to keep his mouth shut in one year. Lynette Brown wills her ability to whisper, even when talking loud, to her sister, large-larynxed Betty. Kyle Harris wills his mathematical brain to Roy Clay Allred, knowing that he can well use it. Doris Fields leaves the beloved front seat of the mighty bus No. 56, to Sarah Francis Fields, for future use. Bill Kirkman wills his ability to raise Cain to Buster McDonald. Sam Boyd wills his second shift job to Bobby McInnis and hopes he will make a success at it. Catherine Neece bequeaths her big feet to Gertrude in hopes they will get her somewhere in life. Jimmy Anthony wills his ever increasing headaches and ability to give other people headaches to Doris Causey, hoping that she may eventually become a nurse and be able to get rid of everybody's. Barbara Samuel wills her ability to make eyes at the boys to Margaret Monnett in hopes that it won't get her in trouble. Ben Fields wills bus No. 15 to anyone who can keep it between the ditches. Ethel Ruth Coltrane leaves the good cafeteria lunches to Norma Dunham and hopes that they will put more weight on Norma than they did her. Sandy Monnett wills his ability to get along with the girls and teachers at P.G.H.S. to Judy Coble and hopes she has no trouble with Mr. Ayers. Ruth Ann Marley bequeaths her good grades to Donald Jones. Frank Marion leaves his power to argue in class to anyone brave enough to accept it. Lonie Varner wills her Square Dancing ability to Martha Kirkman. Ray Caudle bequeaths his sportsmanship to his teammates—whom he left behind. Inez Osborne bequeaths her moody temperament to Billie Stubblefield and hopes she will be more successful in overcoming it. Jim Garner wills his last place in lunch line and ability to always get a second or third helping to Judy Coble in hopes that she may get to be six feet three inches tall by next basketball season. Moonyeen Cockman wills her ability to draw Spotlight Covers to Viola Jones, hoping she will produce bigger and finer ones. Randall Simpson wills his dimples to David Sillmon. Bootsie Corsbie bequeaths her happiness to anyone who might be blue in their coming Senior year. Bob Gamble wills his craziness to Harold Jones and hopes he makes good use of it. Norma Bennett leaves her ability to skip shorthand to Buddy Reddick. Norma Jean Manness wills the use of the office scales to Peggy Sheppard and hopes the results do not disappoint her. J. D. Tilley wills his height to Boyce Cockman in hopes that it will come in handy when dating those tall girls. Patsy Fogleman wills her talent in music to her sisters, Barbara and Bernice. Bobby Hackett leaves his seat in agriculture to Dalton Bowman. Violet Farlow leaves her silly giggles to Charles Kirkman. Bill Glass wills his ability to lay out of class to Johnny Reynolds. Louise Frye wills her ability to play basketball to Lucy Bowman. Holman Flynn wills his geometry grades to his sister, hoping she will be able to improve them. Bobbie Barker wills her sentimental poetry to her sister in hopes she will also like it. Robert Weatherly wills his ability to play a guitar to Josephine McClintock, hoping that someday they might have a little ukelele player. Jo Anne Kirkman leaves her dependability to help her fellow classmates to Jane Kirkman. Jackie Voss leaves her position on the Cheerleading Squad to Jane Allred, hoping that by the time she is a Senior, she too, may be captain. And I, Peggy Crymes, leave a certain Junior, my coming future, hoping that he will take good care of it.

We hereby appoint Mr. J. Leroy Dawson, our class adviser, as sole executor of this, our last will and testament.

In witness whereof, we the Senior Class of 1953, do set seal on this, the twenty-sixth day of May, in the year of our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Fifty-three.

PEGGY A. CRYMES, *Testatrix*

CLASS PROPHECY

As I look into the crystal ball, the future looks very prosperous for the Senior Class of 1953, as I see it in 1963, of course ten years can make many changes in size, shape, number and position. Many will obtain their goal and many will just fall into the habit of just letting the world go by. Let's take a second glance and see just who has done what.

Who could that pretty red-headed secretary be? Of course it is Jo Anne Kirkman. Her husband owns the firm.

If you are on your way to visit Inez Osborne, who is now a housewife in California, please have your car serviced at Frank Marion's Service Station. It's the best.

Randall Simpson and Bill Kirkman are the best artists in Guilford County. Randall has just finished a cartoon and Bill has finished the sketches for a novel.

I just picked up Collier's Magazine and found there a short-story written by Catherine Neece. She is also a secretary for NBC.

Sam Boyd has just returned from Europe. He owns a private plane and has traveled around the world four times.

Louise Frye, who is a beautician, has a full time job, because she is the mother of five boys.

It seems that it will be a tie between the Red Sox and the Yankees, because Jimmy Anthony is playing for the Red Sox and Ray Caudle is short stop for the Yankees.

Sandy Monnett is now designing Ford cars and they're all souped up to 120 m.p.h. Look out patrolmen!

Peggy Crymes had planned for a college career, but somehow she got side-tracked into a happy marriage.

Jackie Voss now has her own dress-designing shop, but that is a part-time job because she has a husband and four children.

Jim Garner put his shingle out with D.D.S. on it. He is the best dentist in the state.

Ray Mowery has the largest used car lot in Climax. He is bringing cars from the North and selling them.

Bob Weatherly has the gayest string band in Pleasant Garden, and his wife and children do the square dancing.

Women radio announcers are few, but Ethel Coltrane has hit the top. Tune in to hear her on station XYZ in Pleasant Garden.

One of the favorite programs on XYZ is the

"Music Hour". You'll agree when you hear the golden voices of Patsy Fogleman and J. D. Tilley.

One of the more prominent figures of Pleasant Garden is Doris Fields; manager of a large department store.

Two of the most beautiful farms in this country are owned by Roddy Fields and Holman Flynn.

Mooneyen Cockman thought she would never see the day, but now she has three lovely children calling her "Mother".

Violet Farlow still has patience; she is in her kitchen waiting for her husband who is always late from work.

Bob Hackett and Kyle Harris now have the largest race track in Pleasant Garden. Of course they need a lovely ticket agent and Lynette Brown is the very one for that job. She was a model for five years.

We couldn't understand why people were breaking their necks to get into the hospital until we learned that Norma Jean Maness is a nurse.

Barbara Samuel and her husband are both working at Bell Telephone, so they have no inconveniences.

Lonie Varner is known to be rather quiet, but she is now sales manager of Western Electric.

Melvin Propst now has a full time job at the A&P Store. He expects to be manager soon.

All the girls have done well in the business world. Peggy Smith is now chief operator at Bell Telephone.

Bob Gamble really has a secure job, because he is serving Uncle Sam in the U. S. Army, while Bill Glass is serving in the Navy.

Leaking faucets and burst pipes can easily be repaired by Ben Fields; the best plumber in Climax.

Norma Bennett has chosen a job at Sears, and it proves to be a successful investment.

The most beautiful homes in Greensboro were decorated by Ruth Ann Marley. She is a successful interior decorator at Morrison-Neese.

Bootsie Corsbie couldn't decide whether to be a secretary or a housewife, but she finally chose homelife.

I have been so engrossed with the future of the others that I almost forgot to tell you that the future holds success and happiness for me too.

BOBBIE BARKER, *Prophet*



MOON
BILL
JACKIE

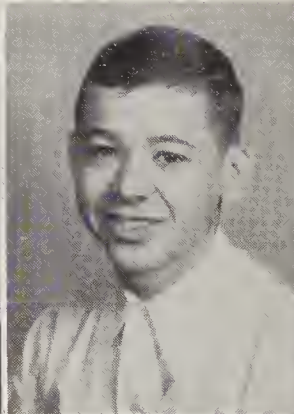
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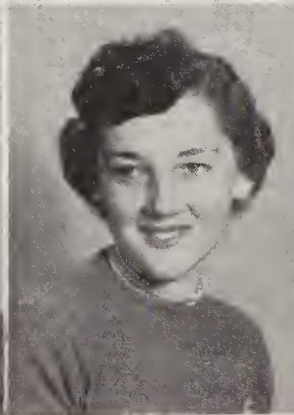
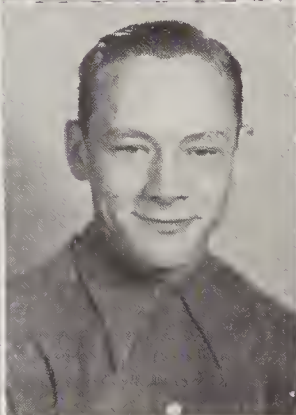
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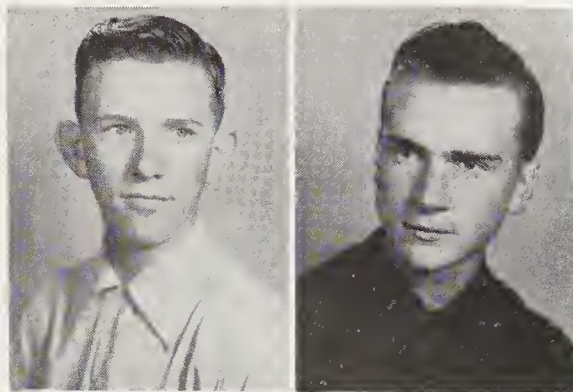


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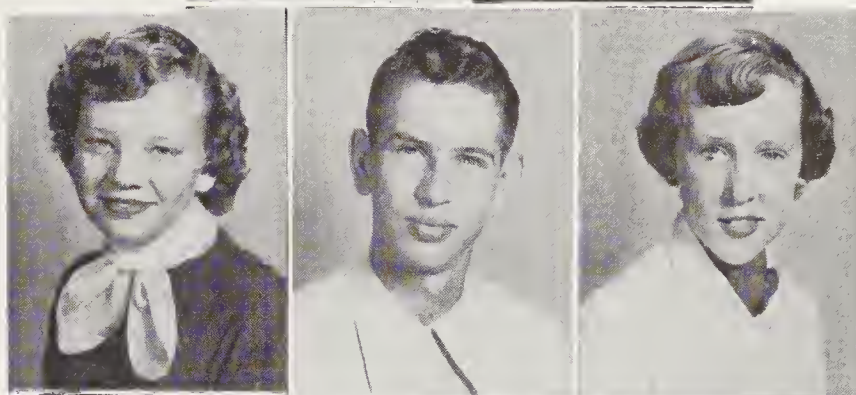


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Raeford Fields
Charles Frye



Mary Helen Garrett
Jack Hanner
Marie Holton



Arnold Ingold
Katherine Jackson
Donald Jones



Viola Jones
Martha Kirkman
Margaret Kirkpatrick

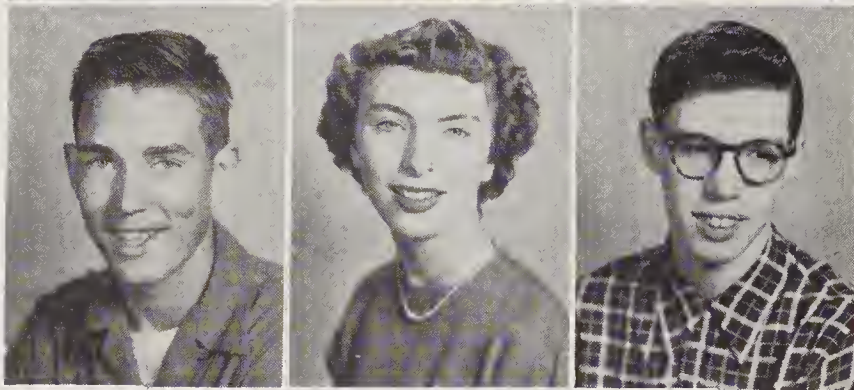


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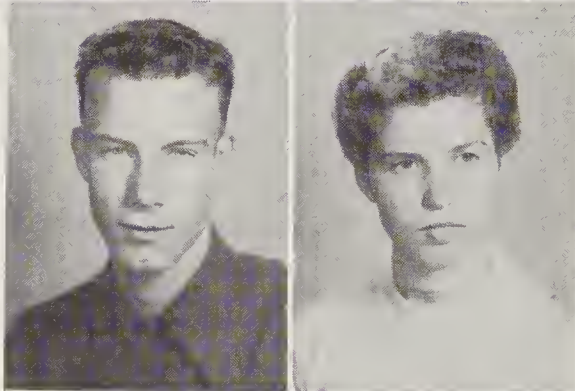
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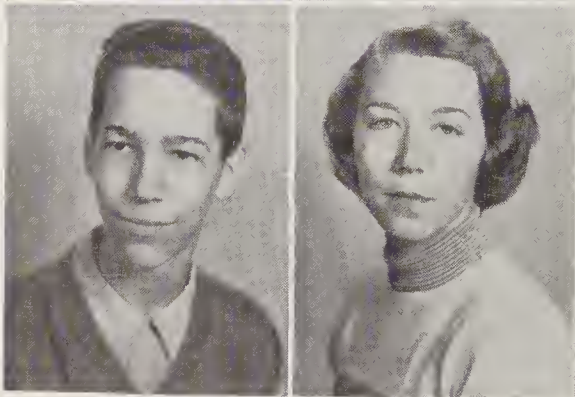
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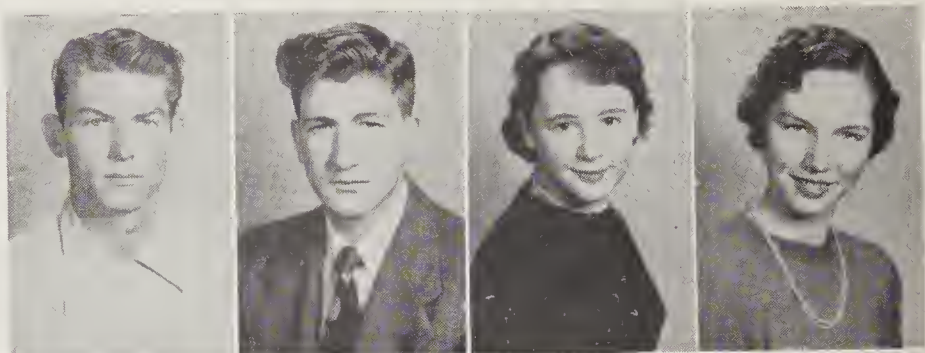
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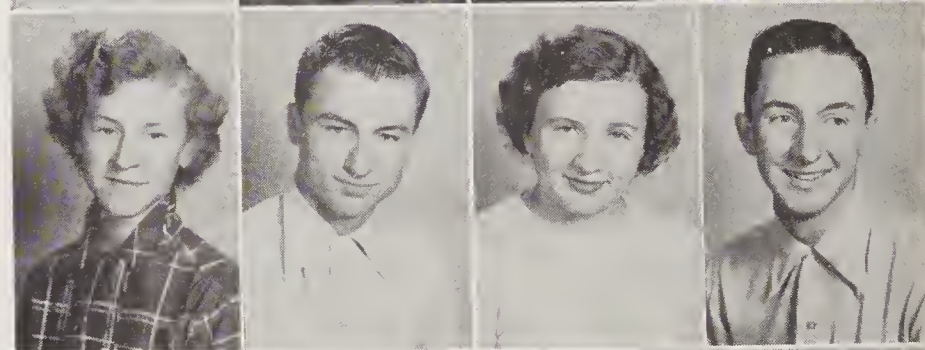
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Luola Bowman



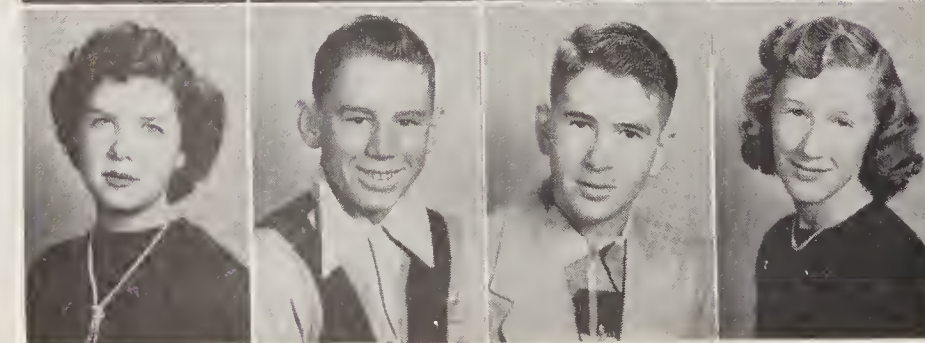
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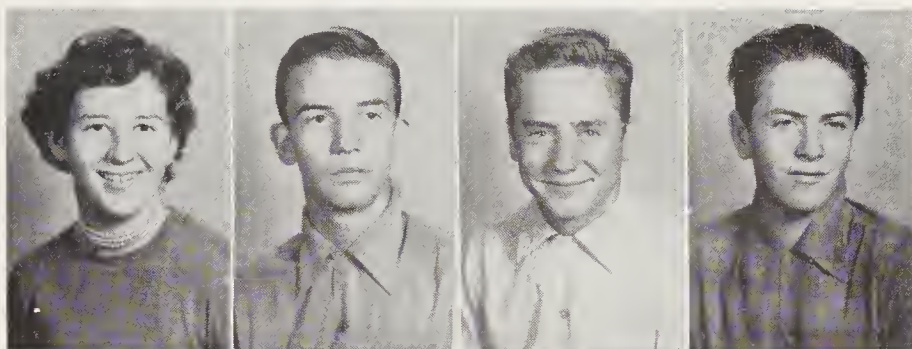


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Charles Kirkman
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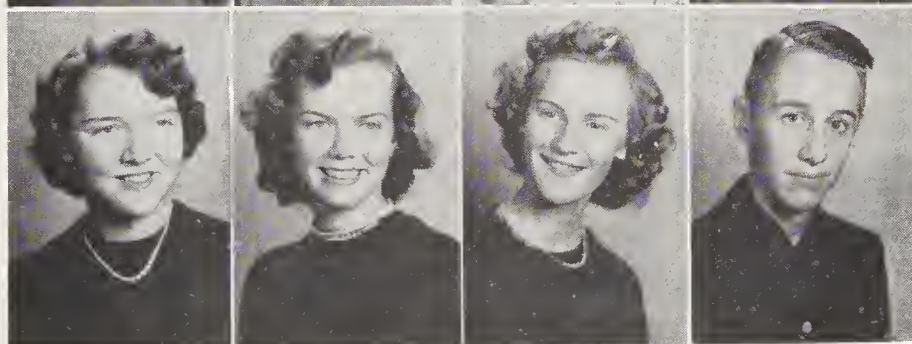


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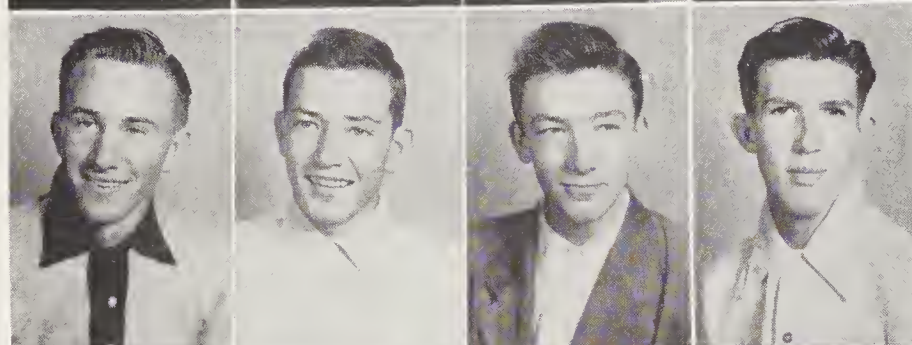
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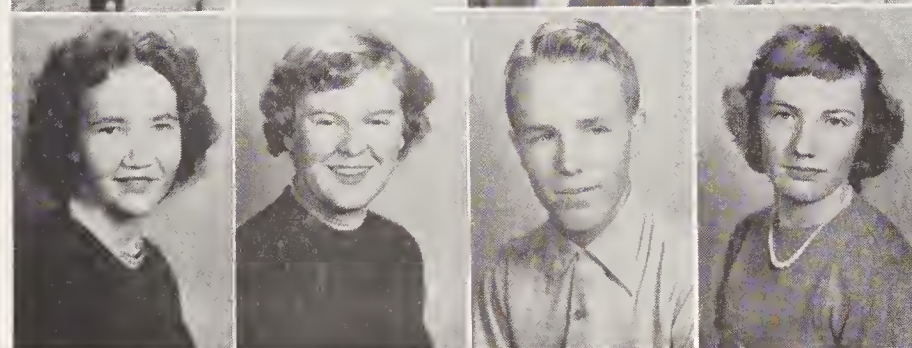
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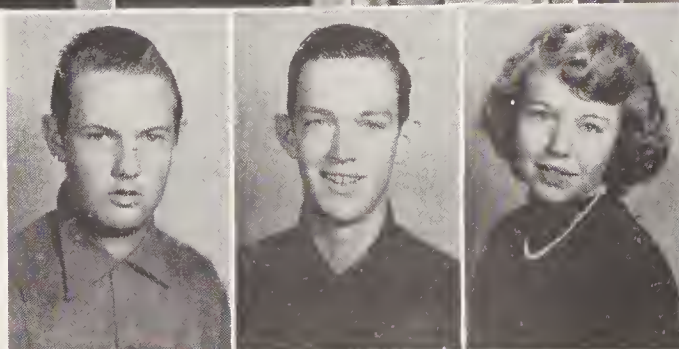
Buddy Reddick
Wayne Reynolds
David Sillmon
Glenn Snow



Peggy Swain
Martha Taylor
James Toomes
Betty Underwood



Walter Lee Vaden
Jimmy Weatherly
Jo Ann Wilkins



WHEN WE WERE VERY YOUNG



1. Inez Osborne. 2. Peggy Smith. 3. Melvin Propst. 4. Violet Farlow. 5. Ray Caudle. 6. Ray Mowery. 7. Peggy Crymes. 8. J. D. Tilley. 9. Ethel Coltrane. 10. Roddy Fields. 11. Ben Fields. 12. Doris Fields. 13. Jackie Voss. 14. Ruth Ann Marley and Doris Fields. 15. Randall Simpson. 16. Kyle Harris. 17. Louise Frye. 18. Ronald Teachey. 19. Bill Kirkman. 20. Barbara Samuel.



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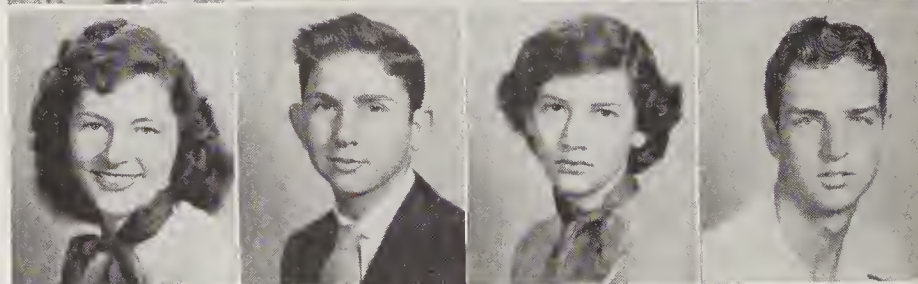
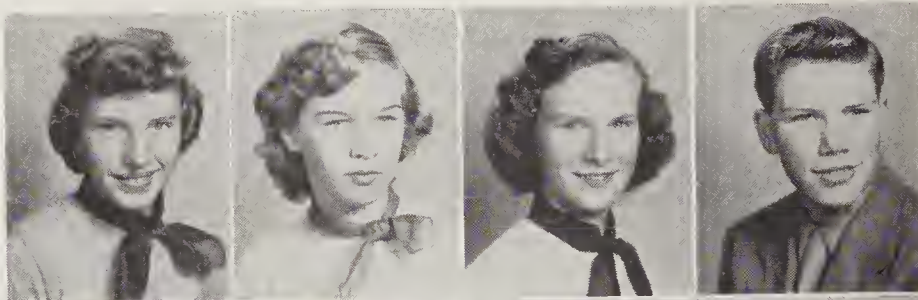
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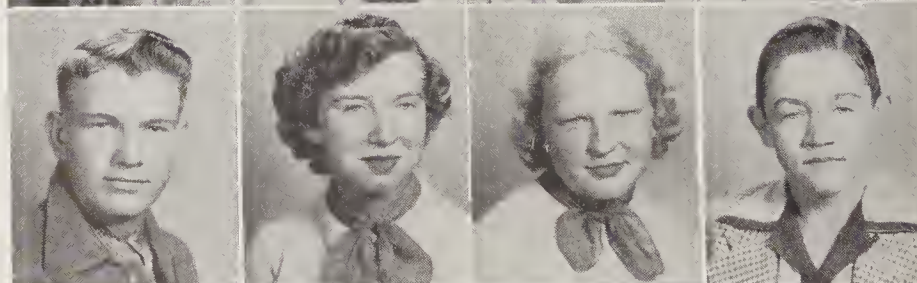
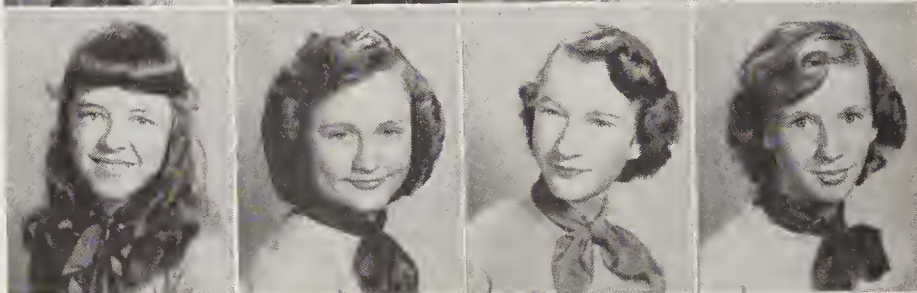
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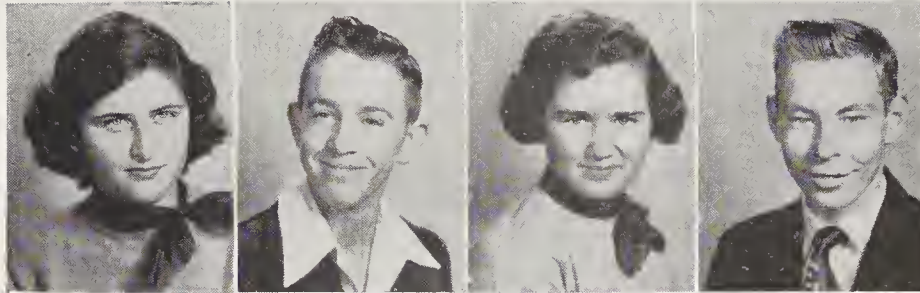
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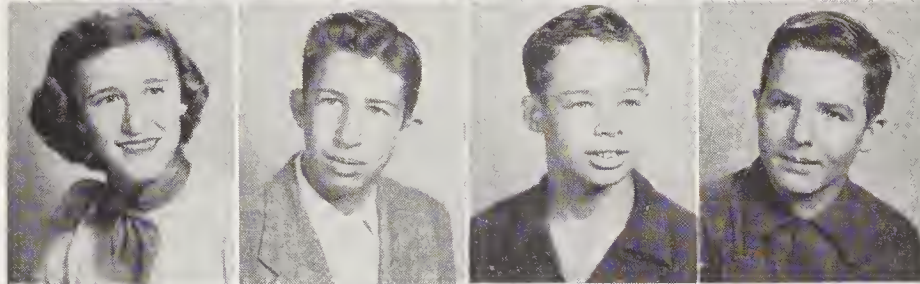


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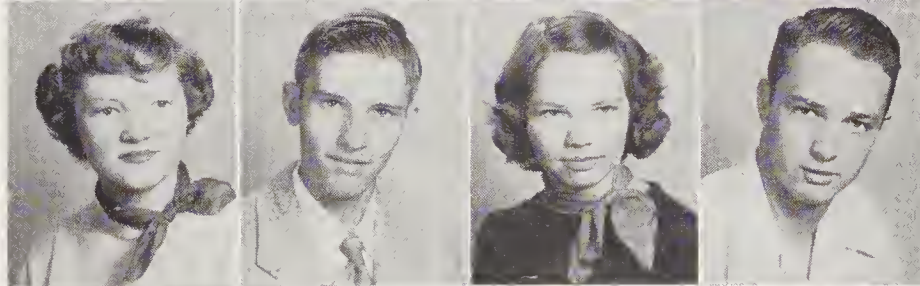
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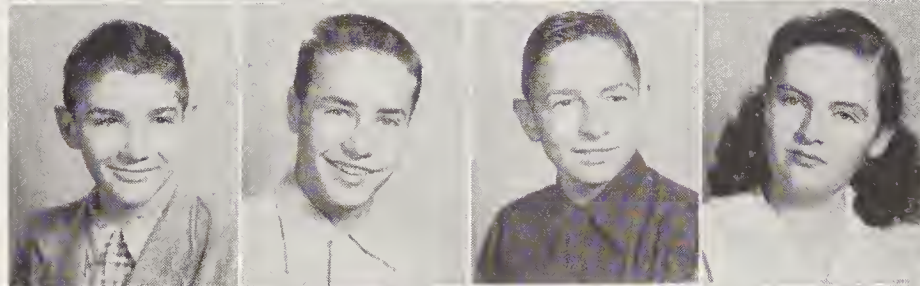
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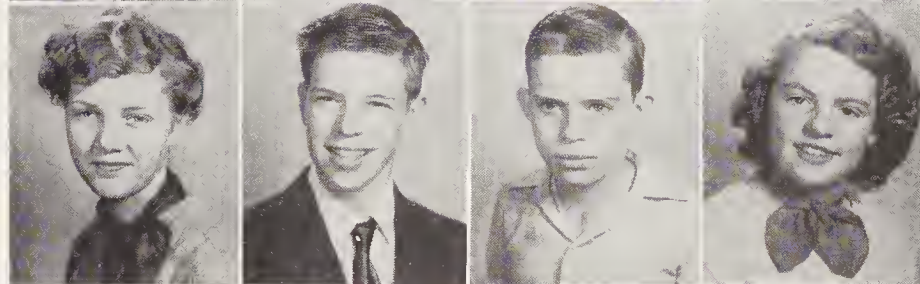
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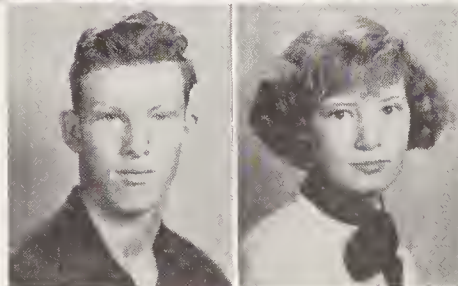
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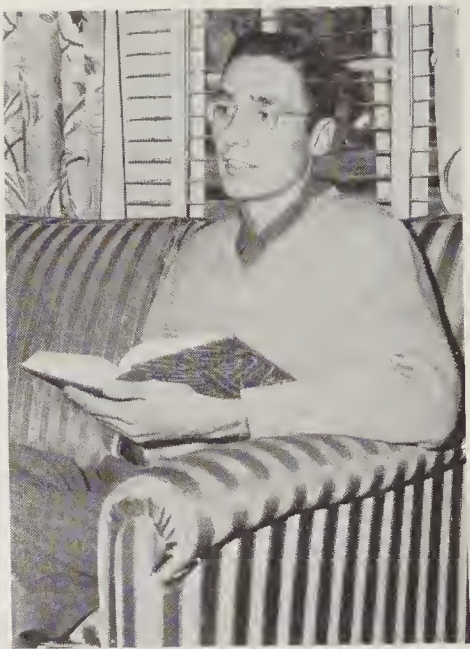
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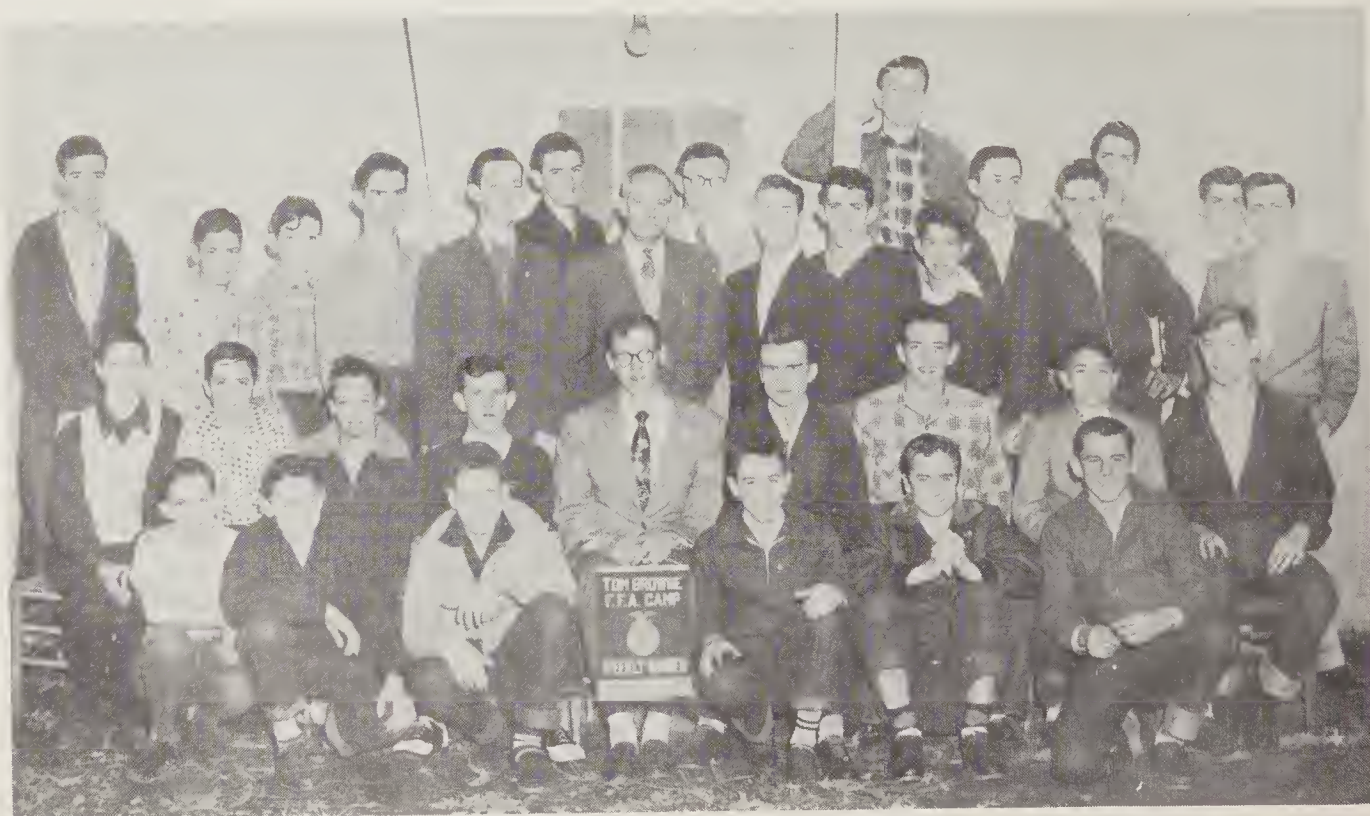
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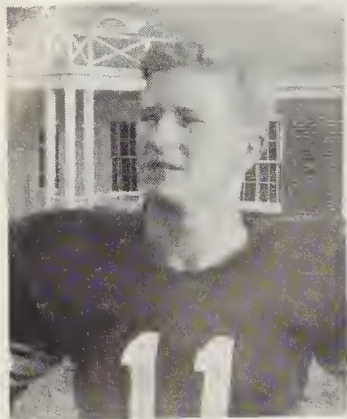




SPORTS



FOOT



RAY CAUDLE
Captain



OFFENSE



LINE: Richard Still, Tommy Denny, Doug Foust, Buster McDonald, Bill Helms, Wayne Reynolds, Johnny Reynolds. Quarter Back: Charles Frye. BACKFIELD: Ronald Teachey, Ray Loggains, Buddy Reddick.

BALL



DEFENSE

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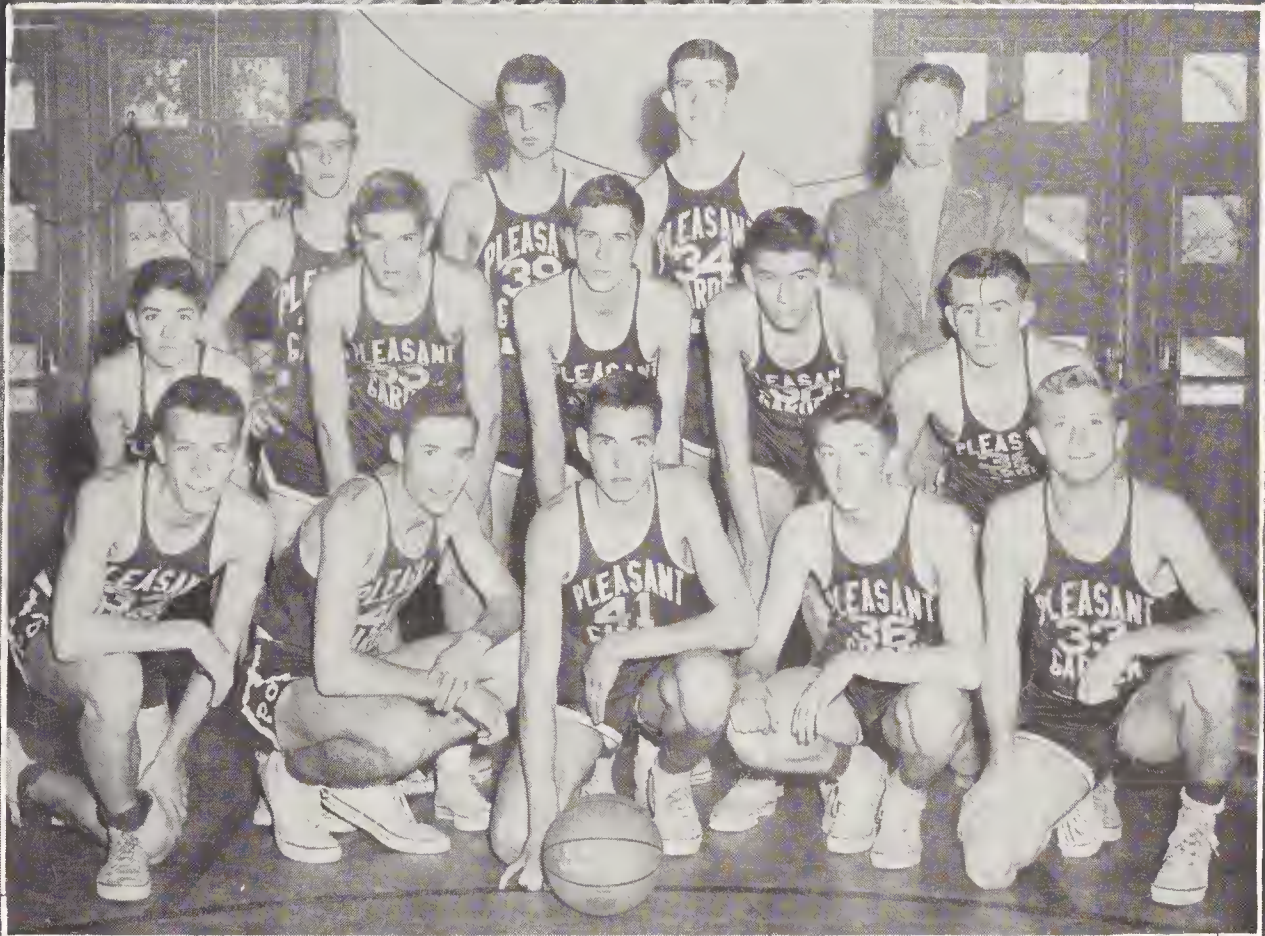


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Coach, Mr. Hebron Coble; Manager, Jane Kirkman. *Seated:* Kathryn Jackson, Betty Fields, Betty Brown, Peggy Crymes, Judy Coble, Wilma Surratt, Luola Bowman. *Standing:* Louise Frye, Ruth Ann Marley, Patsy Fogleman, Catherine Neece, Jo Ann Wilkins.

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Front row: Ronald Teachey, Jim Garner, Richard Still, David Sillmon, Ray Caudle. *Second row:* C. E. Osborne, Frankie McAdams, Jack Hanner, Charles Layton, Buddy Reddick. *Third row:* Jimmy Anthony, Gene Chandler, Glenn Snow.

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